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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

This communication is in response to a final office action with mail date of Jan. 19, 2005, in which the Examiner has rejected claims 1 under Section 102(b) as anticipated by Nuhreh et al. '017, and claims 16 and 23 under Section 103(a) as obvious over Nuhreh et al. in view of Clark et al. '587.

The Examiner has indicated claim 15 would be allowable if properly rewritten.

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